Now Rt. 12
8/22/75

Dear David,

Thanks much for the effort reflected in your 8/18.

I have to leave unexpectedly for a couple of days, anything beginning in an hour or so, so I'll have to be brief.

If any books remain at Pacific Ave. DO NOT ship them by rail. Truck is better and cheaper and there is no rail service here, meaning trucks anyway.

If there are nay, please let me know how many as fast as possible because it can make an enormous $$$$ difference. There is no large truck that can come in our lane, as Hal might remember.

So, if there are any, what I will do will depend on the number.

If there are none it might be good to learn from the manager what happened to them. I suspect those you just got came from them. I don't think L & S held onto what they had. Economics. Or, of course, accident.

By a carbon Hal will know that I'm very interested in any word he may have received on the UnChristian Christian.

It will not be necessary for Hal to haul the books if there are any. The trucker will pick them up. But I thank him.

The difference here is whether I have to have them delivered to a local trucker instead of me to be able to get them up to the house. If all that Jonn should have are there, this will be the expensive need. Otherwise each package will have to be hand-carried 500 feet and then down the cellar steps.

If the gal no longer lives there the books may still remain in the cellar below the garage, as I recall it.

Reprinting the earlier works now would be premature, I believe. I have no immediate plans for this and none involving Dell, who gypped me as one can't imagine. I can't even get an accounting.

I am pushing as much as I can on Post Mortem.

May thanks and best to you both.

Sincerely,

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Hal-thanks. I do have to be ready to leave.
Hope thinks are not bad for you.
I'm serious about Jonn. Plain crookedness falls short of explaining all.
I wish I remembered the name of the characters(lawyers) or their supposed firm, middle-aged, Ivy-league types with whom he took me to lunch the Saturday I was there as the non-paying tenant of his friend with the tower apartments. Isuits name something with Battery in it?

I am staying at it, productively if not profitably. I now have a speakers' bureau. If you know some college people who can book an appearance you can get me out there, which I'd like much. Program Corp. of Amer. 234 N. Central Ave., Hartsdale, NY 10530

Best,